

Although this specification has referred to the illustrated embodiments, it is not intended to restrict the scope of the appending claims. The claims themselves recite those features deemed essential to the invention.

I claim:

1. An iron cover comprising:

a. a non-transmitting heat resistant liner having:  
i. a padded bottom segment shaped to cover and protect  
a sole of an iron placed thereon from marring or  
damage, and

ii. a plurality of side flaps with ends, the side flaps  
extending sufficiently to secure around the sides of  
an iron placed within the liner and structured to  
define a plurality of heat release vents to allow heat  
to escape from a hot iron placed in the cover for  
storage, and

b. securing means associated with ends of the side flaps to  
secure them around the iron.

2. An iron cover according to claim 1, including an  
abrasion resistant cover attached to and covering the heat  
resistant liner.

3. An iron cover comprising:

a. a non-transmitting heat resistant liner having:

i. a padded bottom segment shaped to cover and protect  
a sole of an iron placed thereon from marring or  
damage, and

ii. a plurality of side flaps with ends, the side flaps  
extending sufficiently to secure around the sides of  
an iron placed within the liner and structured to  
define a plurality of heat release vents to allow heat  
to escape from a hot iron placed in the cover for  
storage,

b. securing means associated with ends of the side flaps to  
secure them around the iron, and

c. an abrasion resistant cover attached to and covering the  
heat resistant liner.

4. An iron according to claim 3, wherein the liner has a  
cross shape having arms and the body, the flaps formed of  
the arms, and the padded body segment formed of the body.

5. An iron cover comprising:

a. a flexible non-transmitting heat resistant liner with:  
1. a central body segment padded and sized to cover  
and protect a sole of an iron and

2. a plurality of side flaps extending sufficiently to be  
secured around the sides of an iron placed within the  
liner,

b. securing means associated with ends of the side flaps to  
secure them around the iron, the side flaps structured  
and separated to define heat release vents to allow heat  
to escape from a hot iron placed in the cover for  
storage,

c. a flexible abrasion resistant cover attached to and  
covering the heat resistant liner, and

d. an openable strap storage system with attachment ends  
to secure the cover about the iron, and power cords  
therebetween when the ends are folded back upon  
themselves.

6. An iron cover according to claim 5, wherein the cover  
is shaped in the form of a cross having arms forming the side  
flaps and the body of the cross forming the central body  
segment.

7. An iron cover according to claim 5, wherein the  
securing means comprises an elastic cord associated with the  
side flaps.

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